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Title: SYSTEM AND APPARATUS FOR LIMITING ACCESS TO SECURE  
DATA THROUGH A PORTABLE COMPUTER TO A TIME SET WITH  
THE PORTABLE COMPUTER CONNECTED TO A BASE COMPUTER

**AMENDMENT**

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Honorable Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 11/28/2006, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: